

**PATENT
MAIL-STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:	Patent Application of Darwin J. Prockop <i>et al.</i>	: Group Art Unit: To Be Assigned : :
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For:	ISOLATED STROMAL CELLS FOR USE IN THE TREATMENT OF DISEASES OF THE CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM	: 053844-5002-01 : :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

The present Preliminary Amendment accompanies a Continuation Patent Application filed herewith. This Preliminary Amendment is being timely filed.

Preliminary to examination of the above-identified application, kindly amend the application as follows.